



August 18, 2016

Mr. Matt Kennedy
3824 Red Bird Rd
Gainesville, GA 30506

Dear Mr. Kennedy:

This is in response to your U.S. General Services Administration (GSA) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests (GSA-2016-000964), dated July 15, 2016, in which you requested the following:

"I request access to and copies of Purchase Orders / Transactions related to the GSA Contract number GS-07F-9327S for the specific time period / date range of Fiscal Years 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 & 2016 and SIN #'s 384 9 & 384 4. (It is my understanding from the GSA that to get all Purchase Order / Transaction information for this contract for all regions I only need to designate Region 7). Note # 1 - If the SIN #'s present an issue in fulfilling this request then ignore the SIN #'s. Note # 2 If the prices indicated present an issue in fulfilling this request then ignore/ hide any pricing that must be hidden."

You later clarified that you submitted FOIAs GSA-2016-000962 and GSA-2016-000965 for the same information and for the same years for contract number GS-07F-0003V as well as GS-07F-9327S.

Our search of all orders placed by GSA failed to identify any records or files that are responsive to your request. Part Number or Special Item Number (SIN) inclusion or exclusion pertaining to the request did not alter the available information. Additionally, per request, we looked for GSA orders meeting the general description of the product identified and found no available information.

Please note that GS-07F-9327S and GS-07F-0003V are Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity, Multiple Award Schedule (MAS) contracts under FAR 8.4. A MAS contract is a simplified contracting vehicle that allows Federal agencies and other authorized ordering activities to award task orders against it for commercial services and supplies. These orders are placed directly by the agencies and are not reported back to GSA at the task order or line item level. GSA only has purchase information for orders placed

by GSA procurement agents and we do not have access to information on orders placed by other authorized Federal agencies.

In addition, you requested that we justify/reference all deletions under the specific exemption. The information requested does not exist to provide, as such there is no exemption to reference as no information is being withheld. Since the agency does not have any records within the scope of your request, this does not constitute a denial of records. You have the right to appeal the adequacy of our search. To do so, you must write within 90 days of your receipt of this letter to the following address:

U.S. General Services Administration
FOIA Requester Service Center (H1F)
1800 F St. NW, Room 7308
Washington, DC 20405

Your appeal must be in writing and should contain a brief statement of the reasons why the requested information should be released. Enclose copies of your initial request and this denial. Both the appeal letter and envelope should be marked prominently, "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

This completes our action on this FOIA request. Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact Mr. Stephen Nieswiadomy, Contracting Officer at 817-850-8378 or by email at stephen.nieswiadomy@gsa.gov. You may also contact the GSA FOIA Public Liaison, Ms. Audrey Brooks, at 202-205-5912 or by email at audrey.brooks@gsa.gov for any additional assistance and to discuss any aspect of your FOIA request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, or by e-mail at ogis@nara.gov or by telephone at 202-741-5770 or our toll free number free 1-877-684-6448 or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

Sincerely,

Travis S. Lewis

FOIA Program Manager